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(57) Abstract:

**PURPOSE:** To enable the lecturers in each classroom to equally have the questions and answers by transmitting a question information read command to a terminal equipment from a center device and making the terminal equipment read the question information out of its own information storage part and send the information to the center device.

**CONSTITUTION:** A communication controller 5 produces a question request block in a memory 22 and sets the address of the terminal equipment that inputted a question request to the question request block together with the question request time. Then the group information on the terminal equipments that inputted the question requests are obtained by reference to a terminal group table. Then the question request blocks are registered into a question control queue in the order of earlier question request time, i.e., in the order of

smaller question request times within the question request blocks. The information on the question control queue is read out of the controller 5 by a computer 6 and then displayed on a display of the computer 6 in the question request order.

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